

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY BERN

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TO AMB. WARNER FROM EUR ACTING ASST SECY VINE

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, SZ

SUBJECT: ARMS SALES

- " "

REF: BERN 5441

1. GEORGE VEST, AS YOU MAY KNOW, IS OUT OF THE COUNTRY THIS WEEK AND I EXPECT HIM BACK NEXT TUESDAY.
2. A REPLY TO YOUR LETTER OF SEPTEMBER 13 IS AWAITING GEORGE'S SIGNATURE AS SOON AS HE RETURNS AND I THINK THIS WILL MEET THE NEEDS EXPRESSED IN YOUR TELEGRAM TO HIM.  
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## Message Attributes

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